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Schools Open Monday, August 27 Amid Strict Rules and Regulations

by Mary Moien

Prince George's County public schools will open Monday, August 27 for the 2001-2002 school year. This will be the second year of full-day kindergarten for youngsters. More than 3,200 Greenbelt students will be heading back to public schools in the area.

All Greenbelt schools, with the possible exception of Greenbelt Elementary, are still expected to exceed capacity this year. Springhill Lake Elementary has had a small boundary change allowing a few students from Berwyn Heights South to attend

Springhill Lake instead of Oakcrest Elementary. It is also expected that about 25 students who live in Seat Pleasant will transfer from Springhill Lake to a neighborhood school.

Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS), which is significantly overcrowded, will lose some students who are transferring to DuVal High School this fall. They are underclassmen for whom DuVal is now their neighborhood school. The loss of students, however, will not result in a gain of space as half the school's temporary buildings are being moved to Bowie to house Bladensburg students. The latter students are being transferred to Bowie while their own school is being rebuilt. The county school system has decided that the Bladensburg students have a greater need for the temporary buildings than students from ERHS.

Lunch Prices

At the present time, lunch and breakfast prices will remain the same as for the last several years. Elementary school children's lunch will be \$1.75. Lunch for

middle and high schoolers will be \$1.85. Reduced price lunches will be 40 cents for all grades. Adult lunches will be \$2.50, excluding a beverage. Breakfast in elementary schools will be \$1.10; reduced price breakfasts, 30 cents. Middle and high school breakfast will be \$1.25. Adult breakfasts will be \$1.50. Milk prices will stay the same - 40 cents.

Children will be bringing home information about free or reduced cost lunches close to the first day of school. A detailed

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BUS SCHEDULES

Since school bus schedules have been computerized, the school system was unable to provide Greenbelt bus schedules to the News Review.

Bus information letters have gone to all parents including those who will not have bus service, we were told. Elementary students are considered "walkers" if they live within 1.5 miles of school; the radius for middle school and high school students is two miles.

SCHOOL HOURS

Eleanor Roosevelt

Opens 9:25 am; Closes 4:05 pm

Greenbelt Middle

Opens 9:05 am; Closes 3:45 pm

Greenbelt Elementary

Opens 9:00 am; Closes 3:10 pm

Magnolia Elementary

Opens 9:00 am; Closes 3:10 pm

Springhill Lake Elementary

Opens 8:00 am; Closes 2:10 pm

Sunny Days Wanted for Festival

by Patti Brothers

The City's 47th Annual Greenbelt Labor Day Festival is almost here. The Festival starts Friday, August 31 and goes through Monday, September 3 and if the wishes of all are granted, bright sunny days will be back for this year's Festival!

The Festival marks the culmination of a year of planning by an independent, all-volunteer committee and the participation and involvement of hundreds of citizens, businesses and organizations throughout the city. Festival proceeds benefit the many city service organizations that operate festival booths.

Toss and turn on the many carnival rides or twist and shout to the music of the area's top bands. Stroll through the carnival and visit the many booths and savor some of the tremendous variety of foods and goodies. Browse the photo exhibit and the art show in the Community Center and cheer for local performers at the talent show. Kids can participate in a variety of Kids Games, sponsored by the Recreation Department and enter their pet in the Pet Show, put on by Girl Scout Troup 127.

Be there for all three nights of the Miss Greenbelt Pageant and feel the suspense mount prior to the crowning on Sunday of Little Miss, Junior Miss and Miss Greenbelt for the year 2001-2002. Then stroll down to a favorite observation point along Crescent

Road to watch the area's largest Labor Day Parade on Monday. A detailed schedule of events is included as a special pullout inside this paper. The schedule takes a new form this year and can be saved as a souvenir program. A summary of highlights follows.

The stage (which is brand new this year) will be located as usual in front of the Aquatic Center, with nonstop acts throughout the weekend. The carnival will operate in the parking lot of the Roosevelt Center Mall and on the lawn in front of the Community Center (next to the Library).

Major events will also occur inside the Community Center, at Braden Field and at the ballfields on Northway. In the event of rain (that is a dirty word), stage events, bingo and selected activities will continue in the Community Center and the booths will be relocated there as well.

Getting There

Free shuttle buses leave the Municipal Building every hour on the hour throughout each day to pick up and drop off Festival goers at three locations: Eleanor Roosevelt High School (at 15 minutes past the hour), Greenbelt Elementary School (at 30 minutes past the hour), and Green Ridge House (at 45 minutes past the hour). The last runs will be timed each night to coincide with the close of the carnival. There is more information on the shuttles in the pull out. Call 301-397-2206 during the Festival for more information.

Friday Festivities

The Festival officially opens Friday evening with the Greenbelt Concert Band performing in Roosevelt Center at 6:15 amid the trees, the dining and lounging outdoor furniture and the Mother and Child statue. This traditional concert includes a wide variety of musical styles as well as solos by featured musicians and instruments.

Notlim the Clown - another Festival tradition - will roam the carnival area entertaining children with his antics. At 7 p.m., attention turns to the Festival stage where the Greenbelt Police Department Honor guard presents the colors, Jean Cook sings the national anthem and the area's

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Council, Citizens Concerned About BOA Branch Closing

by Betsy Likowski

The Greenbelt City Council heard an earful about the closing of a local bank at its regular meeting on Monday, August 13. People spoke of their unhappiness that the Bank of America (BOA) will close its branch located in the Roosevelt Center Mall. In response, citizens have circulated a petition, and there is talk of closing accounts with that bank.

The Bank of America branch is located in the Roosevelt Center Mall, on the end closest to the municipal building. A bank has been in that location for years. Bank of America now has three other branches in the Greenbelt area: Beltway Plaza, Ora Glen Drive, and Cipriano Square. Account holders recently received a letter informing them that the branch would close November 16, and accounts would automatically be transferred to the Beltway Plaza Branch. According to BOA officials, the Roosevelt Center Mall branch averages 5,000 transactions a month and the branch norm is 12,000 to 15,000. It lacks drive-through facilities and safety deposit boxes.

Council decided to send a letter to Greenbelt's elected representatives and to bank headquarters expressing its concerns about the proposed closing of the local bank branch.

A petition is circulating expressing opposition to the bank closing. So far the petition has gotten over 1,000 signatures. Mayor Judith Davis praised this effort, commenting that this is what

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City Council Moves Ahead On Jaeger Tract Purchase

by Betsy Likowski

The Greenbelt City Council decided to commit \$100,000 toward federal acquisition of the Jaeger Tract so it can be added to Greenbelt Park. A developer has already filed a preliminary proposal to develop this property. This tract of land is located between Greenbelt Park and Kenilworth Avenue, just south of Westchester Park. The area abuts the park and appears to be part of the park, but as it is privately owned, it can be developed. The city has a long history of interest in this 17-acre tract that also abuts the city limits.

At its regular meeting on Monday, August 13, council agreed to commit \$100,000 toward the purchase of the Jaeger Tract with five conditions: the property would become part of Greenbelt, it would be used as open space, expenditure of the funds would be contingent on an appraisal being done by the National Park Service, a call for funds from other entities would go out, and there would be a reverter clause attached to the agreement.

Council took action now because there is movement on the issue. The National Park Service is having an appraisal done, expected in October, to establish the price of the land. In the meantime, the owner of the property continues with the process to develop it.

At the August 13 meeting, John Hale of the National Park Service said the clock was running out. He felt that an acknowledgment of support for acquiring the land was important,

the amount was not. Hale said the park service was glad the city was continuing with this process.

When Councilmember Edward Putens made a motion to commit \$100,000 of city funds, Councilmembers Rodney Roberts and Alan Turnbull quickly agreed with the proposal. Turnbull said he did not have reservations about committing \$100,000; \$150,000; or more. Roberts commented, "We know we have to put our money where our

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What Goes On

Monday, August 27

8 p.m., Council worksession on city goals, Municipal Building.

Tuesday, August 28

7 p.m., Council meeting with Congressman Steny Hoyer on Jaeger Tract acquisition, Municipal Bldg.

7 p.m., Public Hearing on Redistricting Proposals, County Council Hearing Room, County Administration Bldg., Upper Marlboro.

Wednesday, August 29

8 p.m., Council worksession - stakeholder meeting with Beltway Plaza, Community Center.

Friday, August 31

6:15 p.m., Greenbelt Concert Band, Roosevelt Center.

7 p.m., Festival Opening Ceremonies and Outstanding Citizen Ceremony, Festival Stage.

PULL OUT & SAVE

Labor Day Festival

Schedule on

centerfold pages.

Fold and cut as shown to obtain conveniently-sized, 8-page Festival Program.

Letters to the Editor

What Is Happening To Greenbelt Lake?

Buddy Attick Park used to be a very enjoyable place to walk, with nice scenery. I, and I'm sure other Greenbelters, would appreciate knowing what is happening, or better yet, what is not happening to Greenbelt Lake: why is it not being kept clean? I walk around the lake two or three times a week and have noticed a steady deterioration of the lake in the past year. Last Wednesday evening I saw a bottle, a can, quite a few tennis balls, a bat, and a lot of green scum on the surface of the lake. Why? I used to see fishermen there but not anymore, perhaps that's because the fish can't survive in that water. Used to be lots of ducks; haven't seen many of them lately either. Perhaps the idea of the scum on the water is to keep the beavers away, but I'd think there'd be a better way to get rid of beavers than leaving the lake go awry.

Last year I saw a sign at the Northway entrance stating that Greenbelt received a grant from the State to fix up the lake. I did notice a number of bushes and stone paths that were added to the edge of the lake at the opposite end of the Northway entrance, closer to Crescent Road. Ever since the sign went up last year, the beauty of the lake has been going downhill. Why? Just a constant question (why?) that I'd appreciate an answer to.

Gail Phillips

THANKS

To all that helped support me as a People-to-People Student Ambassador to Australia. My name is Harrison Hilliard. You might have seen me over at the Co-op, K-Mart, Blockbuster, or Giant selling World's Finest Chocolate candy bars, or selling Butter Braid pastries and cookie dough to people in my neighborhood at Christmas time. I had a great time. Thank you again! Australia is a wonderful country!

Harrison Hilliard

Open Letter

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc., would like to inform the citizens and business owners of Greenbelt on our progress in regard to the year 2001 general fund drive. We are close to this year's goal due to your many generous donations. We are currently applying this valuable revenue source toward many needed equipment items and station improvements. As in the past we would like to ask those that have not as yet made a donation to please consider doing so.

You may choose to mail your donation back to us (P.O. Box 35, Greenbelt, MD 20768), or bring it to the station and hand it to one of our volunteers.

As in the past I would like to emphasize strongly that you do not accept any solicitations over the telephone from persons identifying themselves as members or representatives of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc. For this annual general fund drive, we only ask for donations through the mail.

We have received some questions about our other scheduled fundraisers. Our Ladies Auxiliary conducts a picture/portrait drive in

the fall, with representatives from a contracted corporation that go door to door throughout the city. During December we conduct our annual boot drive, in which we station our members at various intersections collecting donations.

Again, may I thank you for your very important past and continued support during our general fund drive.

Jay A. Remenick, President
Greenbelt Volunteer Fire
Department and
Rescue Squad

Stop the Cutting

Recent walks around Greenbelt Lake have convinced me that the issue of buffer strips is a lot simpler than even I had thought. While it would be best to have the homeowners supplementing city efforts, the 20-foot-width minimum required for buffer strips appears not to depend on homeowners volunteering to replant any of their land to buffer plants. The city appears to own more than enough land, at least on most of the shore area near the Lakeside homes that directly "face" the shore.

I have found three boundary markers so far and two indicate city property often extends up to about 21 feet from the edge of the path facing the homes. Fences and other homeowner boundary markers indicate city property ranges from 2 to more than 30 feet from the path's edge.

I have seen extensive cutting within a 12-foot-zone of the path's edge, on the homeowners' side and also areas on the lake side of the path that seem to have been cleared. Much of this cutting has occurred since August 2000 and some of it has been done as recently as the past two months. The city owns a strip of land more than 50 feet in from the water at one boundary marker. This includes the path and an additional 19 feet width from the path to the water.

The city should immediately invoke a moratorium on any cutting by the city in the parkland in the residential area. The city should also advise the homeowners that it is illegal to cut vegetation on city-owned land. This part of the buffer issue does not need discussion or exploring. In fact, the pace of cutting mandates immediate action by the city to enforce its laws.

Get the Scoop On the News

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Kudos to the homes that have excellent buffers, more than half the homes. Some of these homes have lawns placed appropriately far from the lake. By leaving the natural habitat intact in a wide swath to the lake, these homes are helping to filter out pollutants in overland flow from all parts of Greenbelt before they reach the lake. At the same time, these homeowners are providing habitat for wildlife and beauty for themselves and park visitors alike.

Don Comis

P.S. Check out my website at geocities.com/doncomis3. Also join me on weekly "Buffer Watch" lake walks, Sundays at 3, meet at St. Hugh's parking lot, near Braden Field. I'll be the guy with a bright yellow baseball cap.

Closing Protested

Over 1,000 signatures have been collected protesting the closing of the Bank of America in the Roosevelt Center Mall. The battle will go on. Signs and posters have to be strategically placed around town, or in store windows, on cars and other vehicles.

During the Labor Day festival and during the parade, signs, etc. will be carried, placed on cars and other vehicles. Many town and government officials, politicians, business people and guests from everywhere will be appearing in the parade. There will be many radio, TV, newspapers, magazines and other media on hand. The group wants the whole country to know and realize what's going on in Greenbelt.

As compared to other locations, the Centerway location is much safer. Citizens have walked to this bank in historic Greenbelt for over 60 years.

The people are frightened, perplexed, apprehensive and frankly scared. A protest meeting against closing of the bank has been set for Monday, Aug. 27, at 7 p.m., in the Greenbelt Community Center (1st floor).

Emory Harman

OLD GREENBELT THEATRE Week of August 24

PAUL NEWMAN FESTIVAL

Friday

The Sting 5:00
Cool Hand Luke 7:30
The Hustler 9:50

Saturday

The Sting 7:30
Cool Hand Luke 5:00
The Hustler 2:30, 9:45

Sunday

The Sting 5:00
Cool Hand Luke 2:30, 9:45
The Hustler 7:25

Monday

The Sting 9:45
Cool Hand Luke 7:30

Tuesday

The Sting 7:30
The Hustler 9:45

Wednesday

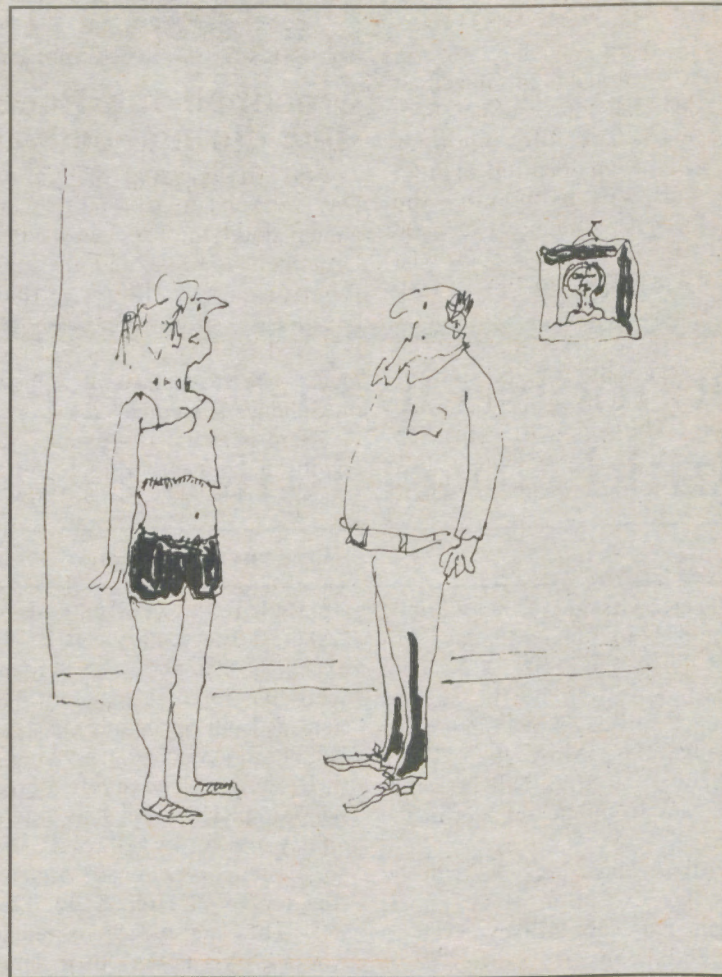
Cool Hand Luke 9:45
The Hustler 7:30

Thursday

The Sting 7:30
The Hustler 9:45

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The Old Curmudgeon



"Britney Spears is a bad influence on children!"

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ARS Has Website On West Nile Virus

As West Nile Virus gets increasing attention as a threat to both public and animal health in North America, the Agricultural Research Service's (ARS) National Agricultural Library has put up a "go-to-first" website on the Internet for information about it. The site is at: <http://www.nal.usda.gov/awic/wnvirus/wnfacts.htm>

The new website enables those who find dead birds that might indicate West Nile Virus to locate contacts in their state who can tell them where to take the birds for examination. The site also has tips on how residents can protect themselves from mosquito bites.

Greenbelt CARES

Ann MacKenzie, the new Community Resource Advocate, met with CARES staff at their weekly meeting.

Judye Hering provided a special babysitting/child safety course for the counselors in training (CITs) who attended the Greenbelt summer camp program on August 15. Ten CITs participated in the session.

Genevieve Elazier attended the August 14 Safety Advisory Board meeting. Elazier conducted a presentation which included an explanation of her role as the City's Crisis Intervention Counselor (CIC), as well as a clarification of her role in addressing the city's domestic/family violence concerns.

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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

Atlantic City Trip Open to Residents

A bus trip to Atlantic City will be open to residents of Greenbriar and Glen Oaks on Saturday, September 15. The fully equipped bus will be on location at 6:45 a.m. and will be leaving the Greenbriar Community Center at 7 a.m. to arrive at the Showboat Casino at approximately 11:30 a.m. Movies, refreshments and a 50-50 raffle drawing will be available on the bus. Rest stops each way will be at the Delaware House. The bus will return to Greenbriar at approximately 8:45 p.m. For further details, call 301-441-1096.

Club Holds Star Gazing Party

Come explore the universe with the Greenbelt Astronomy Club. Join the star gazing party on Saturday, August 25. The event begins at dusk and is scheduled to last until at least 11 p.m. Club members will be on hand with a variety of telescopes and binoculars to share views of the planet Mars, star clusters, nebula, constellations and more. The location will be Northway Ball Fields, at the end of Northway. The event is free and open to the public. In the event of hopelessly cloudy skies, this event will be cancelled.

Directions to Northway Fields (star party site): from Greenbelt Rd. (Rt. 193), take Southway to Ridge Rd. and go approximately 3/4 mile to Northway (the third stop sign). Turn right on Northway and follow the dirt road, bearing left at the fork to the observing site.

For further information, directions and map, visit website <http://lheawww.gsfc.nasa.gov/docs/outreach/gac/GAC.html> or call 301-277-4041.

Lions Club Sponsors Bikes Contest

The Greenbelt Lions Club will again sponsor the bikes and trikes contest on Labor Day, Monday, September 3. Kids aged 12 and under will travel only from the Mobil station to the parade reviewing stand. Meet at the Mother and Child statue at the Center before 9:30 a.m. Prizes will be given to every child. Decorate bikes, trikes, wagons, etc. in any preferred style.

Community Events

Greenbelt 15K Race Held during Festival

Stay fit by using the Labor Day weekend to take part in an annual tradition. The Larry Noel Greenbelt 15K is held in conjunction with the annual Greenbelt Festival. Help celebrate the 43rd running of this historic race. The race starts at 5 p.m. on Sunday, September 2.

There is also a shorter race to encourage participation by one and all. This 3K (certified 3000 meters) begins near the Youth Center and includes a loop around Greenbelt Lake. It starts at 5:10 p.m. Walkers are welcome.

The fee includes a T-shirt. Entry forms are available at the Youth Center. Race day registration for both races is at the Youth Center from 3:45 to 4:45 p.m. There will be numerous awards and post race refreshments for both races.

For more details call Joe Broderick at 301-661-5019 or the D.C. Road Runners Club Hotline at 703-241-0395.

Voter Registration

Although the County Board of Elections will handle all registrations, registration forms may be picked up during regular office hours at the Municipal Bldg., 25 Crescent Rd., or at the Greenbelt Library on Crescent Rd. Voters may also call the Board of Elections at 301-627-2814 to request a form by mail. All completed forms must be received by the Board of Elections in Upper Marlboro by 4 p.m., October 8.

At the Library

Tuesday, Aug. 28, 7 p.m., Cliffhangers for ages 5 to 8.

Thursday, Aug. 30, 10:15 a.m., Drop-In Story Time for ages 3 to 5.

Drop-In Art Classes Begin Next Week

The Greenbelt Recreation Department's fall session art programs will begin next week with the start of drop-in programs for children ages 3-12. For a small fee, children can explore a variety of visual art media with their peers in a supervised studio setting. All drop-in programs will continue through the school calendar in the Greenbelt Community Center's Children's Art Room. No pre-registration is required to participate.

Pre-school art drop-in will take place on Wednesday mornings from 9 a.m. through noon. Elizabeth Morissette, an Artist in Residence at the Community Center, will lead different activities each week for children ages 3-5 accompanied by their caregivers. Projects will include: tie dye, nature collage, fimo bead-making and sculpture, puppets, magic shoes, bird feeders, and more. A complete project schedule is available at the Community Center's main office.

On Tuesdays, After School Art Drop-In will be held from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. for ages 5-8. Caregiver participation is optional for this program. Sandy Roberts will facilitate children's independent explorations using a variety of two- and three-dimensional art media. After School Art Drop-ins will also be offered for ages 9-12 on Thursdays from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. with Sandy Roberts.

The Greenbelt Recreation Department will offer a wide variety of structured courses in the visual and performing arts for children in addition to these drop-in programs. For information, consult the upcoming Fall 2001 Greenbelt Recreation Department brochure or call 301-397-2208.

Golden Age Club

by Ruth Huggins

President Bill Souser presided at the August 15 meeting. Betty Down, Sunshine chair, sent notes of cheer to Lucy Himes, James Down, Florence Holly, and Walter Zahn.

Solange Hess thanked volunteers who helped to prepare and those who contributed the food.

Pearl Siegel said that the Ocean City trip had to be cancelled because not enough people signed up.

The 50/50 raffle was won by Lenny Holohan and Verna Marrie. Ernie Varda read the August birthday list. The celebrants present were Mary Gardner, Solange Hess, Mary Hooper, Erna Landver, Harold Miller, Irene Pavlish and Margaret Smith. Erna Landver won the birthday drawing. Bernie Giese won the drawing of a framed poem by Uncle Joe Rimar.

At the August 22 meeting, the speaker was Pat McAndrew speaking on "Wills." The August 29 meeting speaker will be Ann MacKenzie, speaking on the senior citizen grant.

Labor Day Picnic At American Legion

There will be a Labor Day Family Picnic for Greenbelters at the American Legion, 6900 Greenbelt Rd. in Greenbelt on Mon., Sept. 3, from 1 to 6 p.m.

Open to the public, there will be free lawn games, a moon bounce, and ponies for the children, and free fun and music for everyone. Food will be available for a charge.

St. Hugh's Opens School September 4

Tuesday, September 4 is the first day of school at St. Hugh's. There will be noon dismissals the entire first week. Uniforms are required from the first day of school.

St. Hugh's school is comprised of grades kindergarten to eight, with before- and after-school care. About 250 students are enrolled. About half are from the Greenbelt community; the others come from areas such as Bowie, where the local Catholic school had no openings.

According to Principal Liz Whelan, the school now has a website which can be accessed at www.StHughs.com. She indicated that a few openings are still available in the first grade only.

Back-to-school night will be held on Wednesday, September 19 at 7 p.m.

City Notes

During the week of August 13, the horticulture crew removed dead and hazardous trees from Stream Valley Park, weeded Schrom Hills Park, treated rose beds for black spot, and took soil samples as required by state law before fertilizing. The crew also responded after hours to a tree which had come down in the playground between Eastway and Gardenway.

The parks crew installed 10 new trash cans around the city and replaced chains on swings.

The Electronics Recycling Day held on Saturday, July 28, was a huge success. Residents dropped off over 3,000 pounds of printers, computer hard drives, monitors, keyboards, speakers, radios, recording equipment and other small electronic equipment.

Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center

101 Centerway

Greenbelt, MD

Indoor Pool & Hot Tub Closed

August 20-26
for annual cleaning

For more information call 301-397-2204



ATTENTION GHI MEMBERS

Free grass seed and straw will be given to all members who were cited for bare areas in their yards and received a yellow coupon door hanger. The give away will be conducted Saturday, August 25 between the hours of 9 a.m. and noon on Hamilton Place. Please bring the coupon with you and take advantage of this opportunity to enhance your community.

If you have any questions, please call Phillip Rondeau on 301-474-4161, ext. 132.

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Three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, stone fireplace in the living room, hardwood floors, eat-in kitchen, dining room with sliding glass doors leading to a Florida room, patio, finished walk-out basement, garage, high efficiency furnace, central air, 1/2 acre corner lot with plenty of trees for shade, custom built storage shed and much more. **\$215,000**

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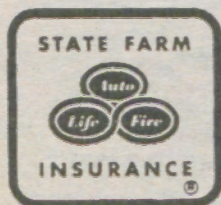
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OFFICIAL NOTICE NOMINATIONS FOR 2001 REGULAR CITY COUNCIL ELECTION

In accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter, a regular election will be held in the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, on Tuesday, November 6, 2001, to elect the five members of the City Council.

Any qualified voter of the City may be nominated for the office of Member of Council upon filing a nomination petition with the City Clerk signed by not fewer than fifty (50) Greenbelt resident voters, a written acceptance of nomination, and such other statements as are required by the City Charter or by law. Required forms and information are available in the City Clerk's office, 25 Crescent Road, from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2001, AT 5 P.M.

For additional information, call the City Clerk
at 301-474-8000.

Kathleen Gallagher
City Clerk

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report of new income requirements was provided in the July 26 issue of the News Review. For example, a child in a household of two would be eligible for a free lunch if household annual income is below \$15,093.

Registration

State law requires school attendance for every child between the ages of five and 16. All children in the state of Maryland are required to attend kindergarten or an alternative program. A law was passed several years ago that lowered the age of compulsory school attendance to five years of age; it affects all children who are five by December 31, 2001. It requires that children attend kindergarten before entering first grade. The law permits some exemptions. Five-year-olds may be enrolled in a child care center or Head Start program or home schooling. When appropriate, a child may be granted a one-year level-of-maturity waiver.

A parent or guardian of a child who attended an alternative program must register the child for first grade prior to the opening of school of the school year in which the child becomes six years old and must provide documentation showing proof of attendance in the alternate setting. Documentation includes the date the child was enrolled and the number of days the child was absent.

A six-year-old child who moves into Maryland who has not had a kindergarten experience may be enrolled in kindergarten or first grade. The local school system will determine the appropriate grade placement.

Newcomers to the school system should bring their child's birth certificate, proof of residence in Prince George's County (deed, rental contract, etc.), record of immunization and the child's last report card if entering first grade or above.

Extra-Curricular Activities

High school students need to have a 2.0 or better grade point average in order to participate in extra-curricular sports or activities; averages will be computed quarterly.

Expulsion Policy

Strict standards will continue to be upheld for drug, alcohol and weapons (including knives) abuse. Students need to be aware that none of these may be brought to school at any time and that expulsion will result should this rule be broken. According to the Code of Student Conduct, students will

COUNTY DRESS CODE

Springhill Lake Elementary School is the only public school in Greenbelt with a voluntary uniform system. For other schools, the following dress code was initiated over five years ago.

- Headaddress can be worn indoors for religious or health reasons only.
- Shirts and blouses should be continuous from neckline to waist. The entire mid-section should not show. No tank tops or muscle shirts. No clothing with vulgar language, obscene pictures, weapons, drug/alcohol or drug paraphernalia, or tobacco products. No see-through clothing.
- Skirts, dresses, shorts, and spandex skirts should be approximately six inches below the buttocks, or not shorter than fingertip level.
- Pants should be secured at waist -- no sagging below waist to expose undergarments. Tights, stretch pants, leggings, and spandex body suits must be worn with clothing long enough to cover buttocks.
- Shoes must be worn.

system. Students who are readmitted must remain expelled for at least the remainder of the semester in which the incident occurred and the following full semester. They must also present documentation of satisfactory participation in the alcohol/drug treatment program. Should a child bring a loaded weapon to school, the parent will be prosecuted under state law.

Policy on Medication

The Department of Health and Human Services within Prince George's County Public Schools, acting on a recommendation from the state of Maryland, changed school policy several years ago regarding the dispensing of prescription and non-prescription medicine to students.

No medicines will be given to students without a physician's medication authorization form PS-51 or PS51-EPIPEN. Forms are available at all schools.

Parents are asked to inform the school principal, health services staff and the classroom teacher of any known allergy or serious health problem their child(ren) may have. Every effort will be made to protect all students from injury and to provide a healthful environment.

Students will be transported by ambulance to the nearest medical facility should they require emergency treatment that cannot be provided at the school site. Parents will be notified as soon as possible.

Websites

This year every school in Greenbelt has a website. Some are more detailed than others;

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- Never reach under a school bus to get anything that has rolled or fallen underneath.
- Move immediately onto the sidewalk or road shoulder, out of traffic, after getting off the bus.
- Wait for a signal from the bus driver before crossing the street. Walk at least 10 steps away from the front of the bus so that the bus driver can see them.
- Never cross the street behind the school bus.

WEBSITES FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Greenbelt Elementary	www.pgcps.pg.k12.md.us/~gbeltes/
Springhill Lake Elementary	www.pgcps.org/~spring/
Magnolia Elementary	www.pgcps.org/~magnolia/
Greenbelt Middle School	www.pgcps.org/~gbms/
ERHS	http://erosevelths.pgcps.org/

some have substantial portions still "under construction." The Prince George's County School system has an elaborate website containing general information about the school system as well as detailed information on bus schedules, policy issues, future plans, school board meetings and agendas, and information about individual schools in the system. The most popular site at the

county level is a listing of lunch menus for an entire month. The site can be reached at www.pgcps.org.

Students, parents and community members are encouraged to access their school website. Greenbelters without children in the school system want to access the site to learn more about a school and its philosophy and activities.

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Dorothy McGee of Hillside celebrated her 95th birthday recently. Mother of Greenbelter Barbara Simon, she lived in a Parkway apartment and two other GHI homes before moving to Hillside. Best wishes to a long-time faithful Greenbelter!

Congratulations to Heather Norden, who was named to the 2000 - 2001 Dean's List at Smith College. A graduate of ERHS, she is the daughter of Beth and Butch Norden and a member of the National Honor Society in psychology. Heather spent the summer working with children who have AIDS, under the auspices of the non-profit Pediatric AIDS Care Center in Washington. It is the only organization focusing solely on challenges to AIDS families, especially children.

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dignitaries are introduced to the audience. Then, the Outstanding Citizen is named. Each year this selection is a well-guarded surprise but the honoree is always greeted with rounds of applause in recognition of the activities and contributions that individual has made to the community. A reception for the Outstanding Citizen is held in the Municipal Building immediately following the award.

About 7:45 p.m., the 2001 Miss Greenbelt Pageant contestants are introduced on stage. Ranging in age from 7 to 19, they exemplify some of the best qualities of young people today in terms of community involvement, academic achievement, and interests and abilities in sports and the arts.

At 9 p.m., The Nighthawks return to the Labor Day stage, after a year's absence, and fill the nighttime air with their wonderful, world-renowned blues.

Carnival Rides

Friday evening the carnival starts its four-day run of rides designed for all ages. Ride a horse (wooden, of course) on the carousel, whirl and twirl on the many thrilling rides, and get the "view from the top" on the Ferris wheel. Toddlers and infants can also grab the wheel, fly the plane, and bang the gong on the "kiddie" rides.

Bracelets which allow a wearer to ride all rides until 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday for one price will be sold again this year. Discount coupons for these bracelets are available throughout Greenbelt, including city offices, the recreation and youth centers and businesses in old Greenbelt and Greenbelt East (see the pull-out for the complete list of locations).

Carnival Booths

The carnival booths, sponsored by community organizations, are for many of the groups their main fund-raisers of the year. The booths provide an opportunity to talk with neighbors, volunteers and visitors, and to become acquainted with many of the activities and programs that make up this great community. A complete listing of booths and their menu selections is in the Festival pullout. There's the traditional Bingo, always very, very popular, as well as the Used Book Sale, sponsored by the Greenbelt Elementary PTA. Other popular booths return, including Goldfish Toss, Zoo Dip, bean bag and ball throwing. Kids can have their faces painted, can make a button or create with paint and learn about public and traffic safety.

Funnel cakes are a Labor Day Festival tradition – as evidenced by the long lines at this booth. Maryland's Chesapeake Bay is honored with crab cakes and fish sandwiches. The Festival food is far-ranging, including cheese steaks from Philadelphia, Cajun chicken sandwiches, Italian and Polish sausages, and gyros, fajitas, bratwurst and other exotic sounding but familiar delicacies.

Round out the offerings with pit beef, ham and turkey sandwiches, baked potatoes, fruit cups, many types of drinks from iced tea to lemonade, and even bottled water. Desserts are not left out – try sundaes, cookies, milkshakes, Haagen Daz ice cream, and floats. Traditional fare is present with hamburgers, hot dogs, french fries, and of course pizza. There is literally

something for everyone – leave your diet at home!

Sporting Contests

The Greenbelt Recreation Department plans and coordinates tournaments and sports activities including softball, tennis, swimming, table tennis, T-ball, volleyball, horseshoes, golf and races during the Labor Day weekend. Activities also include kids games, and a children's walking and adult scavenger hunts. For the scavenger hunts, participants are given a list of items to find and the first team to find all the items wins. There is great fun and prizes for all contests. Check the pullout for details and times of events. The Department also coordinates the annual Larry K. Noel 15K Foot Race on Sunday at 5 p.m. and a 3KFun Run at 5:10 p.m. Registration for both events is at 4-4:45 p.m. at the Youth Center.

Art/Photo Shows

The exhibitions of paintings, sculpture and photos are popular ways for visitors to spend a portion of their time at the Labor Day Festival. There are many types of artistic work on display by adults and children in the galleries inside the Community Center. Entries are accepted on Friday, and the galleries are open to the public Saturday through Monday. These shows are judged by professional artists and photographers and awards are given in each category.

Information Day

On Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. many community organizations and businesses will operate tables in Roosevelt Center to provide information to the community about their causes and products. The tables give small groups a chance to reach the public without operating a four-day booth. There are no sales at the tables, but information and opinions are freely distributed.

Saturday: Kids' Day

Saturday is Kids' Day, sponsored by Greenway Center, with games, events and entertainment especially designed with children in mind. Grab the popular Greenway Center fans to beat the heat throughout the weekend. Fans are available at the Information Booth. Games for all ages from crawlers competing in the diaper derby to tests of skill for older children begin at 8:30 a.m. on Braden Field. The Children's Pet Show is also on Saturday morning. All types of pets are welcome and prizes will be awarded in many categories. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the lawn in front of the Community Center. The Greenbelt Museum will be hosting "Children's Games from the 40s" – marbles, jacks and the like – in the Community Center beginning at 10:30.

Opening the entertainment on stage at 1 p.m. on Saturday is Joe Pipik and his Backpack Puppets, who will take the kids on a special journey through the land of imagination. At 2 p.m., The Amazing Lulu will juggle, unicycle, perform magic and many other antics – and get the kids involved as well! Over on the Community Center lawn, the third annual pie-eating contest, sponsored by the New Deal Café, will take place. Come see some of your esteemed neighbors show their true colors – as pie-stuffers. Will they eat more than they wear? Back on the stage, at 3 p.m., Don Bridges will take adults and children alike for a joyous

sing-a-long ride. Norman Evans brings his contemporary, original jazz to the stage at 4 – and provides an afternoon of relaxing, sit back and chill, music. Home-grown entertainers take the stage at 6 p.m. when the Talent Show unfolds. Come see talented neighbors perform. The Miss Greenbelt contestants present their own talents beginning at 7:15 p.m., followed by the great rock 'n roll sounds of Wayne Brown & 2nd Conspiracy!

Sunday: Family Day

Sunday is billed as Family Day, sponsored by Beltway Plaza. The carnival and rides continue and there are a variety of acts on the Festival stage starting at 1 p.m.. The group 24U (pronounced two-for-you) returns to the Festival with their delightful blend of tunes – from Patsy Cline, to Celine Dion, to Elvis. It's a great performance by a duo that encourages the audience to enjoy themselves and get lost in familiar melodies. At 3 p.m., John Hill, who has performed at prior Festivals and New Year celebrations, drives down Route 95 to take the stage and make it easy for Festival goers to just lie back and enjoy a Sunday afternoon, as he fills the carnival area with his beautiful voice and skilled guitar playing. Ida Seibert, the very talented and stylish vocalist, brings her special, full sound to the stage at 5 p.m. The Greenbelt Arts Center will be performing Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream," a la the 1950s on the Arts Center stage at 5 p.m. The crowning of Little Miss, Junior Miss, and Miss Greenbelt begins at 6 p.m.. The stage presentation is sponsored by Capitol Cadillac, while each contestant has her own, separate sponsor. Questions are posed to the contestants as the final portion of the contest. The announcement of the queens is ultimately the most exciting moment of the weekend for many of the festival goers. The award presentations for the art show, photo show and best booth, will be presented at 7:30 p.m. on the Festival stage. At 9 p.m., Pride a multi-talented band from Baltimore who has appeared through the Washington area, returns to the stage to "close out" the "after dark" portions.

Largest Parade

Greenbelt has long been known for the largest Labor Day parade in the area. This year promises to continue the tradition. Area dignitaries will attend as they have in the past. The 2001 Outstanding Citizen will be the Parade Marshall and members of the city council will appear. There will be floats, the Miss Greenbelt pageant participants, the ERHS Pom-Pom girls, Smokey Bear, dogs from Greenbelt Dog Training, and many other varied acts parading down Crescent Road from Buddy Attick Lake to the reviewing stand at Southway, beginning promptly at 10 a.m. The Lions Club is again sponsoring the Kids Bikes & Trikes entry which forms in Roosevelt Center at 9:30, just before the parade. Don't forget the traditional "Luncheon on the Lawn" at the Greenbelt Community Church immediately following the parade. Festival awards will be presented at 1 p.m. on the Festival stage – and there just may be some surprise entertainment to follow. The carnival midway is open until approximately 4 p.m.. The Greenbelt Museum will be open on Monday

Nighthawks Play at Festival Friday

by Patti Brothers

This year's Labor Day stage will be filled with great night time entertainment from three of the area's top bands. The first one, the Nighthawks, will be on stage Friday night, following the introduction of the Miss Greenbelt contestants. After a year away, they are returning to the Festival stage to open it in fine style – like only The Nighthawks can do. They are a four-piece blues band that has been performing in the Washington area (and all over the



world) for almost 30 years. Barring the fact that they are undoubtedly the most popular blues band in the Washington, DC area, the fact that they have been together for almost 30 years, is a feat in and of itself. Three of the four members are from the original group – Mark Wenner, lead vocalist and harp, Jan Zukowski, back-up vocalist and bass and Pete Ragusa vocals/backup vocals and drums. Guitarist, Pete Kanaras, has been with the band since 1995. The band's history is exten-

sive, beginning in the 1970s when it criss-crossed the country playing clubs and colleges then dominated by the sounds of country rock and disco. They spread their version of roots rock, soul, rockabilly and blues that was hardly the standard sound, across the United States.

They were touring pioneers, since very few truly blues bands were touring nationally. Over the years, they acquired a reputation as a solid back-up band, and gained national respect as the support act for Muddy Waters, Otis Rush, Big Walter Horton and other

legends. They are now the number one bar band in the greater Washington, DC area, and fill every venue in which they perform to capacity.

The Nighthawks have honed their craft over the last few decades – they are, individually, some of the most talented musicians in their respective fields, but they are extremely comfortable with each other – which is very evident to those who are lucky enough to see and hear them perform. The Friday night Festival stage (and crowd) will surely be rockin'!

after the parade until the closing of the Festival.

Organization and Funding

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee begins meeting soon after the end of this year's Festival to plan the next one. The planning this year was especially challenging, as for the first time in its history, the Committee had to request a loan from the city in order to even have a Festival (due to inclement weather over the past two years). Thanks to the loan (and the many fundraising events which were held over the summer and will be ongoing during the Festival),

enough money was brought in to continue the Festival. Additional money was received from various individual and business donors and supporters. Those donors are listed in the pullout. The Committee appreciates the support it received from everyone.

To volunteer for next year, provide a suggestion, or even a complaint, stop by the Festival Information Booth directly across from the stage – and while there, purchase various raffle tickets, T-shirts, glow sticks, necklaces – all part of the ongoing fundraising efforts of the Committee.

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POLICE BLOTTER

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Attempted Theft

Seven Eleven store, Good Luck Road, August 14, 1:48 a.m., a man entered the store and paid for merchandise at the counter. He then jumped onto the counter and attempted to take money from the register. The cashier closed the register and the man fled without obtaining money. He is described as a black male in his 30s, 5'6", 150 lbs., dark complexion, wearing a dark T-shirt and dark pants.

Thefts

Greenbelt Aquatic/Fitness Center, August 12, 3:20 p.m., a wallet was taken from a secured locker.

T.G.I. Friday's restaurant, August 16, 5 p.m., credit cards were taken from an unattended purse. The cards were later used to make unauthorized purchases in Montgomery County.

200 block Lakeside Drive, August 16, 10:01 a.m., an unattended cellular telephone was taken from a picnic table.

Greenbelt Youth Center, August 16, 1:12 p.m., money was taken from an unattended backpack.

Beltway Plaza, August 11, 12:23 p.m., an unattended purse was taken from Party City.

Beltway Plaza, August 15, 11:14 a.m., an unattended cellular telephone was taken from a table at the Three Brothers restaurant.

Greenway Center, August 10, 4:38 p.m., someone posing as a maintenance man entered an open office and removed a wallet from a briefcase before fleeing the scene. He is described as a black male, 30s, 5'10" to 6 feet tall, 160 to 180 lbs., clean shaven, wearing a white T-shirt, black shorts and a black baseball cap.

T.G.I. Friday's restaurant, August 13, 12:10 a.m., a Laurel woman was arrested and charged with theft after an officer responded to a report of a large group leaving the restaurant without paying their food bill.

She was observed getting into a vehicle and driving away. The woman was also charged with Driving While Under the Influence and Driving While Intoxicated. She was released on citations pending trial.

Denny's Restaurant, August 14, 1:59 a.m., two men consumed food at the restaurant and left without paying. The suspects are described as a white male in his 40s, red shoulder-length hair, wearing a red and black plaid shirt and a green ball cap, and a white male in his 40s with shoulder-length grey hair. They were seen leaving in a vehicle described as a green SUV four-door with Maryland tags M836624.

7415 Greenbelt Road, August 14, 5:29 p.m., a wallet was taken from a secured locker at Bally's Health and Fitness Club.

Burglary

Greenbelt Community Center, 7:02 a.m., August 14. Someone broke into the building and took food.

Disorderly Conduct

T.G.I. Friday's restaurant, August 11, 12 a.m., a nonresident woman was arrested after becoming involved in a physical altercation with someone, refusing to calm down and continuing to be combative. She was released on citation pending trial.

Trespassing

T.G.I. Friday's restaurant, August 11, 1 a.m., a nonresident man was asked by management to leave the restaurant. He refused and was arrested and charged with trespassing. He was released on citation pending trial.

Open Alcohol

Buddy Attick Park, a nonresident observed with an open alcoholic beverage was arrested and released on citation pending trial.

Assaults - Domestic

Police responded to four domestic-related incidents, charging assault in three cases and disorderly conduct in a fourth.

Vandalism

6100 block Breezewood Drive, August 15, 9:53 a.m., someone

vandalized the door frame of an apartment building.

Vehicle Crimes

8100 block Lakecrest Drive, August 14, recovered stolen vehicle. While patrolling, an officer observed a man jump from a vehicle which then collided with a parked vehicle. The abandoned vehicle, a 1994 Dodge Caravan, had been reported stolen by Prince George's County police. Attempts to locate the suspect were unsuccessful. He is described as black, 5'8", 160 pounds, wearing a black tee shirt with yellow and red writing on the back. The police found inside the vehicle property reported taken from a vehicle in the 100 block of Westway earlier that evening.

The following vehicles were reported stolen: a black 1999 Cadillac Escalade, Md. tags M563966, August 10, from 6500 Capitol Drive; a 1998 Dodge Stratus from the 5900 block of Cherrywood Terrace which was recovered in Washington on August 15; a maroon 1994 Cadillac Eldorado two-door, Md. tags GYZ030, August 15, from the 6000 block of Springhill Drive; a light green 1997 Cadillac Seville four-door D.C. tags ANN2, August 15 from 6500 Capitol Drive.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts from vehicles were reported in the following areas: 5900 block Springhill Drive; 9300 block Edmonston Road (seven incidents of thefts); 6100 block Springhill Terrace; 65 Court Ridge Road; 7400 block of Greenbelt Road; 7700 block Hanover Parkway; Greenway Center; 9100 block Springhill Lane; 7600 block Hanover Parkway; Buddy Attick Park; 5800 block Cherrywood Lane; 6200 block Breezewood Drive.

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Wind Ensemble Plays at Roosevelt Center

The Greenbelt Concert Band Wind Ensemble will present an afternoon concert at Roosevelt Center, 2 p.m., Tuesday, August 28. The Wind Ensemble is an adjunct function of the Greenbelt Concert Band. It was formed in the spring of 2001 and rehearses in the Greenbelt Community Center each Tuesday at 2 p.m.

The Wind Ensemble, having fewer than 20 musicians, is able to perform in facilities too small for and at times of day not suitable for the Greenbelt Concert Band. The goal of the Wind Ensemble is to provide musical entertainment for civic and charitable purposes, such as for hospital patients, nursing home residents, and other shut-ins; veterans groups, retirement home residents, and the like.

Under the direction of Tom Cherrix, the program will include the following: Lustspiel Over-

ture, Opus 73, by Keler-Bela; highlights from The Music Man by Meredith Willson; Serenade by Enrico Toselli; Mose Trombone (a trombone specialty) by Henry Fillmore; Zacatecas Mexican March by Genaro Codina; Pomplano Tango by Arthur J. Babich; The Huskin' Bee Bavarian Country Dance by Robert E. Pickett; Rain Medley, arranged by Paul Yoder which includes: Rain, I'm Always Chasing Rainbows, and Singin' In The Rain; Hoop-dee-doo Polka by Milton DeLugg; When the Saints Go Marching In, arranged by Harold L. Walters; and other favorites.

Conductor Cherrix is a graduate of the University of Maryland, College Park. An accomplished woodwind performer, he studied under the late Eugene Dimond. Cherrix has conducted and performed with numerous musical ensembles in and around the

Washington, DC area since the 1960s. He has composed and arranged music for orchestras, bands, and small ensembles. Cherrix was the general manager of the Greenbelt Concert Band for more than two decades and, since the early 1980s, associate conductor under Maestro John DelHomme, the conductor of the Greenbelt Concert Band from 1968 through the middle of 1994.

For additional information concerning the Greenbelt Concert Band or the Wind Ensemble contact Cherrix at 301-552-1444 or tcherrix@starpower.net; David Clarke at 301-384-5674 or dhclark@gateway.net, or the City of Greenbelt, Dept of Recreation at 301-397-2200. The Greenbelt Concert Band receives the majority of its financial and logistical support from the City of Greenbelt and is administered by the Department of Recreation.

Jaeger Tract Acquisition Gets Closer to Agreement

by Elaine Skolnik

Collaborative efforts between the City of Greenbelt and the National Park Service (NPS) over the past nine months have come the closest ever to adding the privately-owned Jaeger tract to Greenbelt Park. Next Tuesday, August 28, council will meet at 7 p.m. in the Municipal Building with Congressman Steny Hoyer; John Hale, superintendent of National Capital Parks-East, which includes Greenbelt Park; Glen Eugster, assistant regional director of NPS in this area and Susan Hawley of the National Park Trust. They will update the effort to acquire the undeveloped Jaeger tract and discuss the next steps to be taken.

The controversy over the fate of this privately-owned parcel off Kenilworth Avenue has spanned decades, with successive Greenbelt city councils leading the charge to stop development and press for the tract's incorporation into the federal park as originally intended. Surrounded on three sides by the park, which is located within the corporate limits of Greenbelt, the Jaeger tract is south of the Westchester Park Drive about 300 feet east of Kenilworth Avenue in the unincorporated Westchester Park community.

In her August 16 letter to county, state and municipal elected officials and other organizations, including Greenbelt Homes, Inc., Mayor Judith Davis recounted recent progress in the effort to acquire the 17.43 acre Jaeger tract. Included were the city council's August 13 commitment of \$100,000 of the city's Program Open Space Funds (see separate story); the up to \$50,000 commitment by the National Park Trust, a private non-profit group dedicated to helping NPS fundraise for preservation of parkland;

and the U. S. House of Representatives' approval of the Department of Interior's appropriation bill, which included the Hoyer-sponsored \$1 million appropriation for the acquisition of the Jaeger tract. Although the Senate bill did not contain the Hoyer appropriation, it is hoped that, with the help of Maryland Senators Barbara Mikulski and Paul Sarbanes, it will be included in the final version of the bill worked out by the House and Senate Conference Committee. Because of Congress' August recess, the conference committee will not meet until September.

Since the federal appropriation requires a matching contribution by non-federal parties, Davis in her letter requesting contributions stated: "Given Greenbelt's commitment, it is now hoped that your organization will be able to make a commitment to this effort."

With respect to the National Park Trust's commitment of funds, Eugster and City Manager Michael McLaughlin both explained that Trust funds would be used primarily to "purchase an option"—to show the developer, Community Management Company L.L.C., that the NPS was serious about acquiring the Jaeger tract.

"We must show the developer that we are acting in good faith but need time to put the acquisition together," Eugster said, adding that "appraisals now being obtained by NPS are expected to be available mid to late September." He noted that the funds collected will be held by the Trust in a separate account and

returned to donors if the "deal" does not materialize.

Although the tract's owners have made no commitment to sell the land, they apparently are willing to wait and listen before making any decisions. Meanwhile, the preliminary plan of subdivision for the 17.43 acre land has been approved with conditions by the Prince George's County Planning Board and a detailed site plan submitted. Nineteen single family homes are proposed for the tract, which is zoned rural residential (two detached single family units on an acre).

The current optimism that the Jaeger tract could be added to Greenbelt Park was sparked at city council's November 27, 2000 meeting when Superintendent Hale declared NPS interest in acquiring and incorporating the 17.43 acre Jaeger tract into Greenbelt Park. Hale announced that the acquisition had moved up the list of priorities. To get the ball rolling he suggested that the city and NPS enter into a Friends Agreement that would formally establish the goal of obtaining the Jaeger tract and highlight the land's importance to both the city and the park. City council on June 11 authorized McLaughlin to sign the Friends Agreement for Greenbelt Park. Signing will take place when all participants committed to the agreement are known.

Meanwhile, McLaughlin is leading the effort to enlist others in joining the Friends - local, county and state officials; homeowner, business and environmental associations; residents and others.

The Friends of Greenbelt Park is a group of area residents, local government officials, business owners, adjacent landowners, private group leaders, and others who use the park and are interested in its long-term condition, management and use. The group has formed a non-profit organization with the desire to cooperate with the National Park Service.

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mouth is."

Councilmember Thomas White cautioned that such talk was "somewhat injudicious." He explained that though the city has a long standing desire to acquire the tract, this is essentially the first time the citizens of Greenbelt are hearing about the possibility of the city acquiring land outside the city. There are other players yet to be heard from, he continued. He added that he would like to wait for the appraisal, see what other players will do, and see what the community reaction is.

Roberts countered that this issue has been around during the whole 10 years he has been on council. Mayor Judith Davis said she could not see waiting for the actions of others, what she was concerned about was that the property be within the city limits.

White suggested adding four conditions, Putens the fifth and council agreed.

Sources of Money

The money the council is considering using comes from Program Open Space. These funds come from a statewide transfer tax on real estate sales. City

Manager Michael McLaughlin said that this year the city got \$170,000 and that as of this year the city will have a little over \$1 million in Program Open Space monies, adding in monies received in recent years. But some is held for another purpose, Davis pointed out. So \$400,000 is available, replied McLaughlin.

Bob Crecco, the president of the Westchester Park Civic Association, said the group has talked of going out in the community and soliciting donations but that these would be small amounts. Greenbelt's Congressman Steny Hoyer had submitted an appropriations bill for \$1 million for the acquisition. The bill was approved by the House of Representatives Appropriations Committee, but a related Senate bill does not contain money for the Jaeger tract. Further work on the legislation will take place after Labor Day. Senators Paul Sarbanes and Barbara Mikulski support the funds. Council's \$100,000 commitment would be used for the matching funds required by the House bill.

Roosevelt Dem. Club Calls for Volunteers

Continuing a tradition since 1978, Greenbelt's Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will sponsor a Funnel Cake booth during carnival hours at the Labor Day Festival from Friday evening, August 31 until Monday afternoon, September 3.

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Delegates Mary Conroy and Jim Hubbard - will be stopping by. Delegate Joan Pitkin is on a family trip and has sent regrets. Voter registration forms will also be available.

Officers, members, and friends are needed to staff these efforts. Volunteers should call the club's corresponding secretary, Pat Unger, at 301-474-1914, especially if they would like to sign up for hours of preference.

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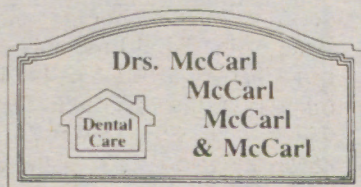
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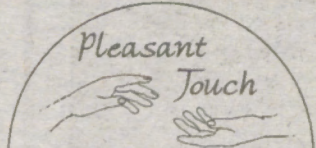
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BANK CLOSING continued from page 1

Greenbelters have done since its beginnings.

A number of people commented that closing accounts and taking money to another bank would have impact, including councilmembers Edward Putens, Rodney Roberts, Alan Turnbull, and Davis. Councilmember Thomas White cautioned that the city should be careful about urging people to do things with their banking.

White, Putens, and Turnbull said that the city could look into where it banks. Greenbelt Homes Inc. (GHI) will move its accounts out of the bank if it moves from the Roosevelt Center Mall, said Julia Eichhorst, president of the board of directors. GHI has three accounts that pull a million a year, she said.

Sylvia Lewis urged people to close their accounts and cut up their Bank of America Visa cards. Lewis announced at the meeting that she is running for city council.

Comments were made about the safeness of using the bank branches. "The Beltway Plaza is one of the most pedestrian-unfriendly sites in the world," said White. It is not appropriate for Bank of America to encourage people to use that branch, he continued. Bill Phelan commented that the bank in Roosevelt Center Mall is probably a safer bank with less chance of getting robbed.

Museum to Display The Original Flag

by Sandra Lange

The Greenbelt Museum will display the original silk Greenbelt flag on Labor Day weekend, Sunday, 1 to 5 p.m., and Monday, after the parade, at the Greenbelt Museum, 10-B Crescent Road. In 1938, the Greenbelt Town Council held a contest for both the design of a Greenbelt flag and a seal or logo. Out of more than 60 entries, the simple design of Mary Clare Bonham, a high school junior, won the \$20 prize. As she later explained, she adapted the double pine tree, the symbol for cooperatives, into her design of the flag. "The one pine tree brought out both the idea of the green belt of trees and the cooperative nature of all the stores at that time," she stated.

According to the National Cooperative Business Association (NCBA), the encircled double pine tree was adopted as the symbol for cooperatives in 1922 by the Cooperative League of the USA, NCBA's former name. The pine tree is the ancient symbol of life and the circle represents the endless quality of eternity. Two pine trees emphasize the mutual nature of cooperation. The trees and the circle are dark green to represent chlorophyll, the life principle in nature, and the color within the circle is golden yellow to represent the sun, the giver of light and life.

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Animation Students in Ottawa Festival

Animated shorts created by seven students in the animation program co-produced by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts (GAVA) and Greenbelt Access Television (GATE) have been accepted and will be shown in competition at the 3rd Ottawa International Student Animation Festival, October 18-21. Only 65 films out of 800 entries worldwide were accepted.

The students, between 8 and 12 years old, are Anton Fleissner - who moved in June to Chattanooga from Cheverly, Joel Mason-Gaines of Greenbelt, David McKinley-Ward of Mount Rainier, Conor Real of Odenton, Gloria and Rebekah So of Glenwood, and Casey Sullivan of



Joel Mason-Gaines

Bowie.

The animated shorts were done using a variety of techniques; cut paper, drawing, clay animation, and computer animation. The children created their own stories for their shorts. The subjects ranged from ice skating to explosions.

The GAVA/GATE animation program, which is taught by George Kochell, runs year-round in the GATE studios at the Greenbelt Community Center. It is one of the few opportunities available in the area for children and teens to learn animation. The accepted shorts were the only ones by children under the age of 12 that came from the United States. The other accepted films in this age group were from European countries.

Bull Roast & Crab Feast

Sat., Sept. 29
2-6 p.m.

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Crab soup, cole slaw and more.

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Internet Co-op Needs Help at Festival

On Saturday, September 1, the Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative (GIAC) needs people to staff its Information Day booth at the Roosevelt Center. About six people are needed who can volunteer an hour apiece to tell oth-

ers about the benefits of receiving internet access through the co-op.

Anyone who can help should send an email to Mary Camp at campm@greenbelt.com or leave a message by calling 301-419-8044.

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47th Annual Greenbelt Labor Day Festival

Friday, Aug. 31 through Monday, Sept. 3, 2001

"Unity through community involvement"



Greenbelt City Council Members standing from left: Ed Putens and Tom White; sitting from left: Rodney Roberts, Judith Davis, and Alan Turnbull

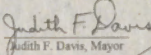
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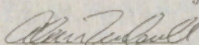
Welcome to the 47th Annual Greenbelt Labor Day Festival! The City of Greenbelt is honored to host this unique community event which provides so much enjoyment for all its citizens. Many family and friend reunions occur during this special weekend. The festival also provides a wonderful opportunity for many of our City's non-profit, service, and religious organizations to participate and make themselves known to our residents and visitors.

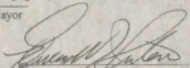
This festival is organized and conducted by an independent volunteer group, the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee. These dedicated citizens have worked long hours this past year to ensure that we all have a great time. We are grateful for their efforts and those of all the other community volunteers and city employees who make this event possible.

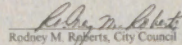
We hope you enjoy this weekend's festivities. Plan to come all four days and take full advantage of the wide range of activities being offered, from the Opening Ceremony and Concert Friday evening to our community's Labor Day Parade on Monday. If you have any questions about Greenbelt, please call us at 301-474-8000.

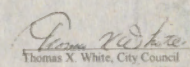
Best wishes for a great weekend!


Judith F. Davis, Mayor


Alan Turnbull, Mayor Pro Tem


Edward V. F. Putens, City Council


Rodney M. Roberts, City Council


Thomas X. White, City Council

Miss Greenbelt Pageant

Be on hand to bid farewell to last year's honorees and welcome our new representatives!

2001 Miss Greenbelt participants: Deborah Bekele, Stephanie Danielson, Cassandra Hetzel, Kateri Hull, Jina Middaugh, Alicia Saunders, and Ashlee Thompson;

2001 Junior Miss Greenbelt participants: Marie Crenwelge, Lauren Decker, Ashlee Doris, Tiffany Edwards, Sarah Loutsch, Brittanie Stewart, and Kimberly Wynkoop; and

2001 Little Miss Greenbelt participants: Xiomara Beckles, Melissa Blue, Kaylena Caudill, Katelynn Chaney, Erin Donn, Lisa Donn, Devin Fendlay, Erin Grady, Melissa Gray, Lindsay Hepler, Jazmin Kienas, Brenna Lauer, Jenny Lindvall, Christa McVoy, and Jessica Thompson.



Parade

There will be Floats, Bagpipes, Firetrucks, Color Guards, Community Organizations and the Miss Greenbelt participants. The Grand Marshal is Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen. Sign language interpreter at the Reviewing Stand across from the Municipal Building. Parade Route: Down Crescent Rd from Greenhill to Westway. See shuttle schedule on page 8.

Information Day and Community Exhibits

**Saturday, September 1
from 11am - 5pm**

Our local merchants, civic and community groups will be on hand to greet you and introduce you to their organizations and activities. Come to Roosevelt Center, learn a little, meet some great people, and enjoy an afternoon at the Festival.

See a full list of exhibitors on page 3.

Special Pull-Out Program for you to keep!

Why Cook?

Relax Over the Weekend . . . Eat Out at the Festival!

Booths in the Carnival Midway include: Italian & Polish

Sausage Sandwiches - *St. Hugh's CYO*; Hot Dogs, Hamburgers - *Boy Scout Troup 746*; French Fries, Sweet Potato Fries, Iced Tea - *Mishkan Torah Men's Club & Mowatt Methodist Church*; Funnel Cakes, Lemonade, Pizza/Plain Pretzels - *Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club*; Philly Steaks, Gyros, Bratwurst, Fried Shrimp, Potato Pancakes, Corn Dogs - *ERHS Grad Night*; Pizza, Fajitas, Honey Dijon Chicken in Pita, Bloomin Onions, Smoothies - *College Park American Legion Auxiliary*; Sno-balls, Flounder Sandwiches, Fried Oysters, Baked Potato, Grilled Veggie Subs, Rootbeer Floats - *Greenbelt Arts Center*; Moon Pies, Milky Ways, Mars Bars - *Greenbelt Astronomy Club*; Pit Ham, Beef, Turkey Sandwiches, Potato Salad, Corn-on-the-Cob, Baked Beans - *Friends of Adult Literacy*; Frozen Yogurt - *Knights of Columbus*; Nachos with Cheese - *ERHS Sign Language Club*; Water - *Holy Cross Lutheran Church*; Fruit Cups, Juice Boxes, Caramel Apples - *ERHS Pom Squad*; Otis Spunkmeyer Chocolate Chip Cookies, Milk - *ERHS Class of 2002*

Sodas and Beverages Available at Many Booths

Carnival Midway Booths and Activities

Ride tickets - \$1.00; 10 for \$8.00; \$13.00 unlimited rides from 11 am to 5:30 pm Saturday and Sunday. No charge for entertainment, shows, or events unless noted.

Carnival Discount Coupons

Special Matinee Prices for Carnival Rides

WEATHER PERMITTING

Sat., Sept. 1 from 11 am - 5 pm

Sun., Sept 2 from Noon - 5 pm

All you can ride tickets - \$13.00

Discount coupons are now available from: Greenbelt Consumer Co-op, Greenbelt Library, Aquatic Center, Municipal Finance Office, Youth Center, Springhill Lake Recreation Center, Rental Office and Community Relations Office, Community Building & Pool at Greenbriar & Windsor Green, GHI, Good Luck Rd. & Hanover Parkway 7-11, Greenway Liquors, Cipriano Liquors, Generous Joe's, Police Station, Greenbelt Video, Community Center Office, and Greenbelt Mini-Mart.

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Treasure Hunt - *GHI*

Face Painting - *Greenbelt Baptist Church*

Zoo Dip - *Boxwood Civic Association*

Bingo - *United Cerebral Palsy*

Ham Radio Special Events Station - *CMARC*

Button Making - *Greenbelt Baha'i Community*

Paul Down's Art Raffle - *Committee to Save the Green Belt*

Bean Bag Toss - *Friends of Adult Literacy*

Used Book Sale - *Greenbelt Elementary PTA*

Traffic Safety, Crime Prevention, D.A.R.E. - *Greenbelt City Police*

Gold Fish Toss - *Md. Tri-County Hawg Hunters*

Go Cassini Game - *Greenbelt Astronomy Club*

Easel Painting - *Greenbelt Nursery School*

Guess Your Age, Weight, Height - *ERHS Class of 2003*

T-Shirts, Glo Sticks, Necklaces - *Information Booth*

Rides by *Rosedale Amusements*

Booths constructed and wired by *Greenbelt Public Works Department*.

Friday, August 31

All events will take place in the Roosevelt Center parking lots unless otherwise noted. No advance registration is required unless stated. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL BE SOLD AT THE FESTIVAL. CITY ORDINANCES PROHIBITS THE CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN CITY PARKS, BUILDINGS, AND IN THE FESTIVAL AREA.

IN CASE OF RAIN, STAGE EVENTS AND BOOTH ACTIVITIES WILL BE MOVED TO THE COMMUNITY CENTER AND THE YOUTH CENTER. CARNIVAL RIDES MAY CLOSE WITHOUT REFUNDS. For Festival Information and a Schedule, check SHL cable and cable channel B10. Carnival Directory Signs located at the Information Booth, Upper Lot Entry and Southway/Crescent Rd. Entrance.

Avoid parking problems, Ride the FREE Festival Shuttle. Vans will run from satellite locations at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, Greenbelt Elementary School and Green Ridge House. See Shuttle Schedule on back page.

Questions? Call Festival Information 301-397-2206 or visit the Information Booth on the Festival Grounds.

6am GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Indoor pool open for lap swimming.

9-11am SENIOR CITIZEN'S SWIM PARTY
Aquatic Center. Outdoor pool. Pot Luck Lunch. FREE.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

11am - 8pm GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Outdoor pool open to the public for recreational swimming.

5pm TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT
Youth Center. Open to anyone 12 years and older. Trophies to winners. Singles and Doubles. FREE.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

5-7pm ART SHOW
Community Center. (Entries accepted at this time - not open to the public)
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Association for Visual Arts

5-7pm PHOTO SHOW
Community Center. (Entries accepted at this time - not open to the public) Pre-registration not required.

6-11pm CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPENS
Midway. Rides by Rosedale Amusements. Games, food, sale and information booths organized by Greenbelt organizations. Booths constructed and wired by Greenbelt Public Works Department.

6:15 - 7pm GREENBELT CONCERT BAND OF PG COUNTY
Roosevelt Center Mall. The traditional musical start of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival. Rain Location is the Youth Center Gymnasium.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

7pm DAVID R.S. CRAIG MEMORIAL SOFTBALL GAME
Braden Field #2. Game in memory of former Recreation Department employee David R.S. Craig.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

7-8pm ROVING CLOWN
Midway. Notlim the Clown will greet children.

7:00 - 7:45pm OPENING CEREMONIES
Stage. Introduction of dignitaries. National Anthem sung by Jean Cook. PRESENTATION OF OUTSTANDING CITIZEN AWARD. Master of Ceremonies Suzanne Plogman. Sign language interpreter on stage.

7:45pm RECEPTION FOR THE 2001 OUTSTANDING CITIZEN
Council Meeting Room, Municipal Building. Public is invited.

2000 Junior Miss Greenbelt, Emily Ivy (top row); 2000 Miss Greenbelt, Joanna Andrus (left); and 2000 Little Miss Greenbelt, Kimberly Carey.



7:45 - 9pm MISS GREENBELT PAGEANT - OPENING NIGHT
Stage. Introduction of the 2001 participants and 2000 honorees. Dance presentation and modeling. Host: Rich Lee, WAVA.

9pm - 12Mid THE NIGHTHAWKS
Back after a year away! World-renowned, rockin' rhythm and blues. Always a great time!



"The Nighthawks" will be on hand Friday night from 9-12 Midnight.

Saturday, Sept. 1

8am GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Indoor pool open for lap swimming.

8:30 - KIDS' GAMES

11:30am Braden Field #1 (Behind Youth Center). Events are scheduled by age group with prizes and ribbons awarded in each category. Registration 8:30 am.

Age Group	Game	Time
Crawlers	Diaper Derby	9:00 am
1 Yr. Olds	Foot Race	9:15 am
2 Yr. Olds	Bucket Fill	9:30 am
3 Yr. Olds	Bucket Fill	9:45 am
4/5 Yr. Olds	Balloon Pop Race	10:00 am
5/6 Yr. Olds	Crab Walk Race	10:15 am
6/7 Yr. Olds	Potato Sack Race	10:30 am
7/8 Yr. Olds	Balloon Stomp	10:45 am
8/9 Yr. Old Girls	Hula Hoop Contest	11:00 am
8/9 Yr. Old Boys	Bubble Gum Contest	11:00 am
9/10 Yr. Olds	Egg Toss	11:15 am
11/12 Yr. Olds	Speed Pitch	11:30 am

Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

9am - 10pm ANNUAL LABOR DAY SLOW PITCH TOURNAMENT
Braden Field #2 and Schrom Hills Park. Men's top area teams; first class competition; Pre-registration required.

Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

9am RICHARD "REDS" ROLAND MEMORIAL SINGLES HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

Horseshoe Pits (adjacent to Aquatic Center). Registration 9-9:30 am. Competition begins at 9:30 am. Trophies to winners. FREE.

Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

9:30 - 29TH ANNUAL CHILDREN'S PET SHOW

10:30am Community Center Lawn. All kinds, types, sizes of pets. Registration 9:30 am. Judging 10 am. Awards 10:30 am. Gift certificates to the winners. Rain or Shine!
Sponsored by: Girl Scout Troop 127

10am - 8pm GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Outdoor pool open to the public for recreational swimming.

10:30am CHILDRENS GAMES OF THE 1940s
Community Center. First Floor near the Museum Exhibition Room.

Sponsored by: Greenbelt Museum

11am - 5pm INFORMATION DAY AND COMMUNITY EXHIBIT
Roosevelt Center. Visit the information and display tables set up by local organizations. Come learn about your community!

11am - 11pm CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPENS
Midway. Rides by Rosedale Amusements.

12N - 10pm SPECIAL EVENTS STATION
Community Center Lawn. 5th Annual Special Events Station. CMARC operators will promote the Labor Day Festival by contacting Hams from most states and several other nations. Come watch or assist. Certificates available.
Sponsored by: Central Maryland Amateur Radio Club

12:15 - HOME RUN DERBY
1:30pm Braden Field #2. Registration 9 am - 12 noon. 8 pitches or 6 swings. You provide your own pitcher, balls provided. Entry fee \$5.00. Winner receives 40%; 2nd Place 10%; David Craig Memorial Fund 50%.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

1-2pm JOE PIPIK AND HIS BACKPACK PUPPETS
Stage. Joe and his puppets will charm the festival audience with a humorous and entertaining show!

1-6pm ART SHOW
Community Center. See displays of art by Greenbelt artists of all ages.

1-6pm PHOTO SHOW
Community Center. Come and see a display of the best photographs taken by your fellow citizens. Vote for your favorites!

1:30pm GOLF CONTEST - CLOSEST TO THE FLAG
Braden Football Field. Registration 1 pm. Competition begins at 1:30 pm in Junior, Senior, Men, and Women categories. Trophies to winners. FREE.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

2-3pm THE AMAZING LULU
Stage. A great one-woman circus show! See her antics as she juggles, ropewalks, rides her unicycle, and much, much more!

2pm 4th ANNUAL CELEBRITY PIE EATING CONTEST
Roosevelt Center.
Sponsored by: New Deal Cafe

3-4pm DON BRIDGES
Stage. Great music for both kids and adults alike. A little something for everyone!

4-6pm NORMAN EVANS
Stage. Contemporary jazz at its best! This talented musician has opened for Spyro Gyra, George Howard and others.

6 - 7:15pm TALENT SHOW
Stage. Dancers, violinists, pianist, guitarists, singers, poets, comedians, you-name-it, of all ages put on the show of their lives for their friends and neighbors. Details and biographies available in the Talent Show program at the show.

7:15 - 8:30pm MISS GREENBELT PAGEANT
Stage. Talent presentations from Miss Greenbelt, Junior, and Little Miss contestants. Host: Christine Patsas & Miss Teen Maryland, Heather Molnar

9pm - 12Mid WAYNE BROWN & 2ND CONSPIRACY
Stage. Good time rock and roll! Bet you can't sit still to the rockin' sounds of this great group!

8am GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Indoor pool open for lap swimming.

9am - 10pm ANNUAL LABOR DAY SLOW PITCH TOURNAMENT
Braden Field #2 and Schrom Hills Park. Continuation of double elimination tournament. See entry at 9 am Saturday.

9:30am HORSESHOE DOUBLES TOURNAMENT
Horseshoe Pits (adjacent to Aquatic Center). Open to anyone 16 years of age and older. Trophies to winners.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

10am - 8pm GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Outdoor pool open to the public for recreational swimming.

12N - 5pm AN ARTFUL AFTERNOON
Community Center. Student/Faculty Art Show, Fall Arts Program Preview, Artists Open House, Live Performances, Ceramics Demonstration and sale.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

12N - 10pm SPECIAL EVENTS STATION
Community Center Lawn. 4th Annual Special Events Station. See Saturday entry.
Sponsored by: Central Maryland Amateur Radio Club

12N - 11pm CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPENS
Midway. Rides by Rosedale Amusements. See Saturday entry for details.

1pm CHILDRENS WALKING SCAVENGER HUNT
Youth Center. Scavenger list leads participants to various locations in and around the Youth Center and Festival Area. Prizes for winners and ice cream for all.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

1-3pm 24U
Stage. Come start off the day with the wonderful sounds of this delightful duo - with music that ranges from Patsy Cline to Elvis to Celine Dion.

1-5pm GREENBELT MUSEUM
10-B Crescent Rd. Open to the public for viewing. 1938 Greenbelt Flag on display. Guided tours of historic house with original Greenbelt furnishings.

1-6pm ART SHOW
Community Center. See entries 1 pm Saturday.



"Wayne Brown & 2nd Conspiracy" will be on hand Saturday night from 9-12 Midnight.

1-6pm PHOTO SHOW
Community Center. See entries 1 pm Saturday.

2:30pm ADULT SCAVENGER HUNT
Youth Center. Adults are given a list of items they must find and the first team back wins the grand prize.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department.

3-5pm JOHN HILL
Stage. This talented singer and musician from up Route 95, with his beautiful voice and guitar, will have you asking for more!

5-6pm IDA SEIBERT
Stage. Back for a repeat performance. This talented singer, with her soothing voice, is always a true delight!

5pm SHAKESPEARE ON THE GREEN
Arts Center. A Midsummer Night's Dream.

5pm ANNUAL LARRY NOEL 15K FOOT RACE
Entry Fee: \$12.00 until 8/26, \$15.00 day of race - Packet pickup and Late Registration at Youth Center 4-4:45 pm. Commemorating the 45th Annual Labor Day Larry Noel Race. Use your Labor Day Weekend to take part in an annual tradition. Starting Line is on Northway at Woodland Way. For information call DC Roadrunners Hotline: 703-241-0395.
Sponsored by: D. C. Roadrunners

5:10pm 3K FUN RUN
Braden Field Tennis Courts. Starting Line is on the path behind the Youth Center and goes around the lake. Entry fees are the same as 15K Foot Race.

6-9pm MISS GREENBELT PAGEANT
Stage. Presentation of Little Miss, Junior Miss and Miss Greenbelt contestants in formal dresses and public speaking competition. Crowning of Little Miss, Junior Miss, and Miss Greenbelt 2001. Host: Rich Lee, WAVA. Sign language interpreter on stage.

7:30pm AWARD PRESENTATIONS
Stage. Presentation of awards for the Art Show, Photo Show, and Best Decorated Booth.

9pm - 12Mid PRIDE
Stage. The "pride" of Baltimore - back for a repeat performance! This band will get you up and dancing with their great sounds.



"Pride" will be on hand Sunday night from 9-12 Midnight.

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LABOR DAY

Monday, Sept. 3

8am GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
Aquatic Center. Indoor pool open for lap swimming.

9am - MAYOR'S ANNUAL SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL FINALS
7pm Braden Field #2. See entry at 9 am Saturday.
Sponsored by: Greenbelt Recreation Department

9:30am LIONS CLUB BIKES & TRIKES
Roosevelt Center. All contestants meet at the Mother and Child Statue.

10am - 47TH ANNUAL GREENBELT LABOR DAY PARADE
12Noon Crescent Rd. The 47th Annual Labor Day Parade will entertain you with a variety of groups, demonstrate our community spirit, and accentuate our diverse cultural backgrounds. Communications provided by Central Maryland Amateur Radio Club.

10am - GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER
8pm Aquatic Center. Outdoor pool open for recreational swimming.

12Noon - ART SHOW
4pm Community Center. See entry at 1 pm Saturday.
Exhibitors pick up art works at 4 pm.

12Noon - PHOTO SHOW
4pm Community Center. See entry at 1 pm Saturday.
Exhibitors pick up photos at 4 pm.

After LUNCHEON ON THE LAWN
Parade Greenbelt Community Church, Corner of Hillside and Crescent Rd.

After GREENBELT MUSEUM
Parade 10-B Crescent Rd. Open to the Public.

After CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPENS
Parade Midway. Rides by Rosedale Amusements. See Friday entry for details.

1pm 47TH ANNUAL LABOR DAY PARADE AWARDS
Stage. Awards presented for best entry in each category and Best in Parade.

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After the parade, the shuttle will depart from in front of the Library and return parade participants to Buddy Attick Park.



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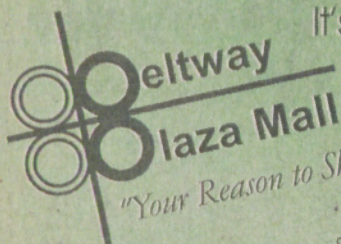
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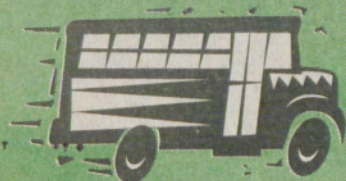
We meet every Thursday morning from 7:30 to 8:45 am for breakfast at the Greenbelt Marriott on Ivy Lane.
Rotary is a community service organization of professional men and women who live or work in the Greenbelt area.

For more information, call Court Lee at 301-262-1135

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Friday 6 pm - 12 Midnight
Saturday 11 am - 12 Midnight
Sunday 12 Noon - 12 Midnight
*Monday 12 Noon - 4 pm

**Shuttle leaves the festival
every hour on the hour
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at three convenient locations:

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*See Monday morning schedule on page 6.